

Restricted Races 2026

Horses will be allocated to a Band dependent on their auction or median auction value.

2yos of 2026 – Following a review of the relative performance of auction horses and median auction horses in Restricted Races, and in the light of the strength of the yearling market in 2025, bandings have been slightly increased to the following values:

Band	Auction Value	Median auction value
Open	N/A	N/A
Band A Restricted	£68,001-108,800	<£44,950
Band B Restricted	£40,801 - £68,000	<£29,900
Band C Restricted	£20,401-£40,800	<£19,650
Band D Restricted	£1 - £20,400	<£10,100

The bandings applied to 2yos of years earlier than 2026 remain unchanged.